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Jerome Bown
Bown Stone Products
93 West 300 South
Manti, Utah 84642

Subject: Complete Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Bown Stone Products, Desert Sienna Quarry, S0150093, Task 2213, Emery County, Utah

Dear Mr. Bown:

The Division finds your Notice of Intention to Conduct Small Mining for the Desert Sienna Mine, submitted January 25, 2008, complete. Prior to conducting mining activities the Division must approve the reclamation surety.

The Bureau of Land Management is continuing its review of the project, so a surety amount has not been determined. We will notify you when this happens.

Thank you for your cooperation. Questions about this letter can be directed to me at 801-538-5258 or Paul Baker at 801-538-5261.

Sincerely,

Susan M. White
Mining Program Coordinator
Minerals Regulatory Program

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cc: Chris Conrad, Price BLM

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